GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Arms Acts & Rules – Request of Sri A.K.Mohanty, IPS for permission to purchase a weapon i.e. Revolver/Pistol/Rifle at upset price from anywhere in A.P. – Orders-Issued.

HOME (ARMS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1760.

<u>Dated:14.10.2009</u>. <u>Read the following:</u>

- 1) From the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, Lr.No.V-11020/7/97-Arms (NPB), dated:16.10-2001.
- 2) From Shri.A.K.Mohanty, IPS application dated:09-07-2009.
- 3) Govt.Memo.No.20189/Arms/2009-1, dated:28-07-2009.
- 4) From the D.G.P., A.P., Hyd, Lr. Rc. No. 482/K1/2009, date: 28-08-2009.

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ORDER:

In the circumstances stated by Shri A.K.Mohanty, IPS, in his letter 2nd read above and based on the report of the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad vide reference 4th read above, Government hereby permit Shri A.K.Mohanty, IPS, holder of Arms Licence No.37/Home/2009 to purchase one confiscated NPB weapon i.e. Revolver/Pistol/Rifle from Arms Dump at upset price anywhere in Andhra Pradesh, subject to the usual terms and conditions stipulated by the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi mentioned below and after purchase of weapon the same shall be produced before the Joint Commissioner of Police, (Administration), O/o.the Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad for inspection within the period of three months from the date of purchase of weapon.

- 1. The allotment of firearms to eligible categories of persons as indicated in paragraph 2 of the guidelines issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, videLr.No.V-11020/7/97- Arms(NPB), dated.16.10.2001, shall be made to applicants facing an existing threat to their lives in the assessment of the allotting Authority.
- 2. No individual will be entitled to allotment of more than one firearm by any authority during his life time. The particulars of such allotment shall be entered in the Licence of the allottee.
- 3. The allottee should possess a valid Licence for possession of a firearm of the category to be allotted.
- 4. The firearm should be in serviceable condition and should contain the name of the manufacturer, distinguishing mark, number etc., and meet other conditions prescribed in the Arms Act and Rules.
- 5. Price of an individual firearm should be fixed by State Government. For this purpose, a Price Fixation Committee, in which representatives from the state Home and Finance Department and some local licensed firearms dealers may be included, be set up. The Committee should determine the price of the firearms, after taking into account the condition of the weapon and prevailing market rate of similar weapon. The price fixed by the Committee should be realistic in comparison to the market value of the weapon and not nominal.

- 6. Allotment should be made subject to the condition that the allottee shall not sell, gift, transfer or otherwise part with the firearm during his life time. In the event of his Licence being cancelled or revoked the firearm shall be returned to the Government.
- 2. The Director General and Inspector General of Police, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action immediately.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.GOUTAM KUMAR, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

Shri.A.K.Mohanty, IPS, DGP & Chairman, AP Road Safety Authority, The Director General & Inspector General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to :-

The Joint Commissioner of Police, (Admn) O/o the Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad. SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER.